



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION  
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ROBERT BARNETT, TREASURER  
COMMITTEE TO ELECT GARY L. ACKERMAN,  
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**Response Due Date**  
**11/08/2012**

IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: C00165241

REFERENCE: JULY QUARTERLY REPORT (04/01/2012 - 06/30/2012)

Dear Treasurer:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. This notice requests information essential to full public disclosure of your federal election campaign finances. **Failure to adequately respond by the response date noted above could result in an audit or enforcement action.** Additional information is needed for the following 2 item(s):

1. Schedule A of your report discloses the receipt of contributions designated for the primary election that were received after the date the candidate terminated their candidacy.

The candidate was running for Congressional office until their announcement on 3/15/12 not to seek re-election. At this time, their status as a candidate for the 2012 Election Cycle ended. Your committee is entitled to keep all primary election contributions received prior to that announcement, and is allowed to use them in accordance with 11 CFR § 113.2. However, primary election contributions received after the date of the announcement must be refunded, except to the extent there are net debts outstanding for the campaign on the date each primary election contribution is received. (11 CFR § 110.1(b)(3)(ii))

If any of the apparent primary election contributions in question were incompletely or incorrectly disclosed, you must amend your original report with the clarifying information.

If you have not already done so, please inform the Commission of your corrective action immediately in writing and provide photocopies of any refund checks. Refunds are reported on Line 20(a), (b) or (c), as applicable, of the Detailed Summary Page and on a supporting Schedule B of the report covering the period in which they are made. (11 CFR § 104.8(d)(4))